

COST SHARE AGREEMENT for the Tea Incident

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**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE**

And

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION
(CAL FIRE)**

And

SANTA BARBARA CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT

And

MONTECITO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

The following is the Cost Share agreement between the above named agencies as it was negotiated for the following incident.

INCIDENT NAMES: Tea Incident

INCIDENT NUMBERS BY AGENCY: CA-SBC-009981 (1502-PNEPF0)
CA-MTO-001023
CA-STB-0807673

INCIDENT START DATE AND TIME: November 13, 2008 1745 Hrs

JURISDICTIONS: USFS – Los Padres National Forest
CAL FIRE – San Luis Obispo Unit
Santa Barbara City
Montecito Fire Protection District

INCIDENT CAUSE: Under Investigation

COMMAND STRUCTURES: Unified Command

OPERATING PERIOD: Start: November 13, 2008 1745 Hrs
End: November 18, 2008 0600 Hrs

INCIDENT COMMANDER: Pat Kerschen, CAL FIRE
INCIDENT COMMANDER: Dana D'Andrea, USFS- Los Padres
INCIDENT COMMANDER: Pat McElroy, Santa Barbara City
INCIDENT COMMANDER: Kevin Wallace, Montecito Fire Protection
District

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UNIFIED ORDERING POINT: Santa Barbara County Operational Area Coordination Center

Agency Representatives participating in the development of this cost share agreement:

Ken Heffner, USFS, Deputy Forest Supervisor, Los Padres National Forest

This cost share agreement between the Department of Agriculture, United States Forest Service (USFS), the State of California, Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE), Santa Barbara City Fire Department and Montecito Fire Protection District was prepared under the following guidelines:

1. In accordance with the California Master Cooperative Wildland Fire Management and Stafford Act Response Agreement (CFMA) between the USDA, Forest Service, USDI, Bureau of Land Management, USDI, National Park Service, USDI, Fish and Wildlife Service, USDI, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE).
2. In accordance with the Cooperative Fire Protection Agreement between the USDA, Forest Service Los Padres National Forest and the Santa Barbara City Fire Department.
3. In accordance with the Cooperative Fire Protection Agreement between the USDA, Forest Service Los Padres National Forest and the Montecito Fire Protection District.
4. This incident is unique in it's short duration and that State and local agencies will seek reimbursement through the Federal Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) process. This incident was also covered by a Governor's Disaster Declaration with possible Presidential Disaster Declaration. This agreement does not set precedence.
5. Responsibility for tort claim costs will not be a part of and will be determined outside of this agreement.
6. Non-suppression rehabilitation costs are the responsibility of the jurisdictional agency.
7. Each agency agrees to accept the cost of their respective agency resources and "exclusive use contracts" supplied to the incident. This includes air, ground and support resources. CAL FIRE will pay for all other resources not partied to this agreement including Santa Barbara County Fire Department.
8. If this fire becomes active and grows in size, this agreement can be renegotiated at the request of any of the signatory parties. If this occurs, after the end of this agreement, a new incident number will be generated.

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This cost share agreement is our best judgment of agency cost responsibilities.

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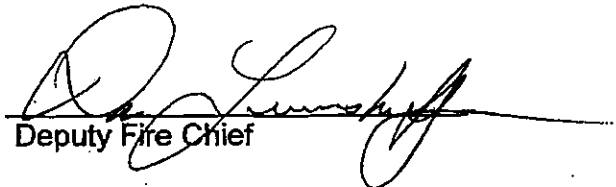
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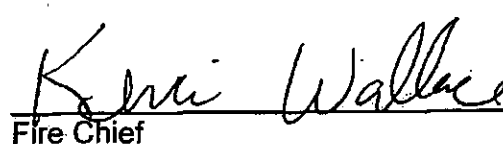
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Date of this finalized agreement: November 16, 2008

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